

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 283893

ADOPTED ON MAY 16 1994

WHEREAS, the San Diego Blood Bank needs 400 donors every day to maintain an adequate blood supply for the region; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic leaders have joined with the San Diego Blood Bank to help increase awareness of the need for blood donations within the Hispanic community; and

WHEREAS, members of the Hispanic community, one of the fastest growing segments of this region's population, reside mostly in the South Bay area; and

WHEREAS, since the first Hispanic Community Blood Drive was held, this community has increased its blood donations by twenty-one percent; and

WHEREAS, El Mexicano newspaper in conjunction with the San Diego Blood Bank will hold its Third Annual Hispanic Community Blood Drive and Health Fiesta on Saturday, May 14, 1994, at the Price Club Shopping Center, 640 Naples Street in Chula Vista;
NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council, for and on behalf of the people of San Diego, does hereby support this community effort and congratulates El Mexicano newspaper and the San Diego Blood Bank for this important work.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Council hereby declares
Saturday, May 14, 1994 to be "HISPANIC COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE AND
HEALTH FIESTA DAY" in The City of San Diego.

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